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 For: THERMAL INTERFACE MATERIAL)
 AND ELECTRONIC ASSEMBLY)
 HAVING SUCH A THERMAL)
 INTERFACE MATERIAL)

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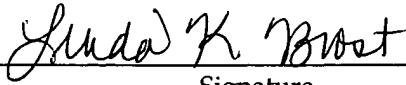
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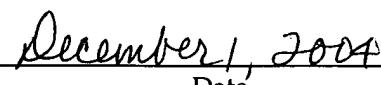
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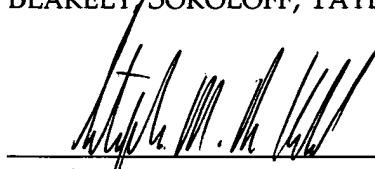
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